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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Reissue Application of ) Examiner: C. Verdier  
DAVID A. SPEAR ET AL. ) Group Art Unit: 3745  
Appln. No.: 09/343,736 )  
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For: SWEPT TURBOMACHINERY )  
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Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

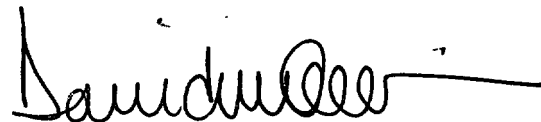
Sir:

Please extend the time for responding to the Office Action of June 8, 2001, for three months, from September 8, 2001, to December 8, 2001.

A check for the \$920 fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) (3) for this extension of time is enclosed. Any additional fees associated herewith may be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-0409.

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